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## LOCAL WHOLESALE TRADE

Groceries Have Been the Most Active of the Jobbing Lines the Past Week-Produce Trade.

The volume of business in the local wholesale has operated as a drawback. Taking the weather into consideration, the wholesale and jobbing business is all that could be expected. There is no doubt that, with some

trade journal says: The week has been dull in spots, but a pretty fair volume of orders has been coming in. With snow one minute, sunshine the next and a cool north wind most of the time, it is hardly worth while to explain why the dry goods people are not swamped with orders for organdies, lawns, lace "lingerie" and diaphonous stuffs. But there are other goods stocks, fortunately, and also, there are thousands of people needdry goods men are doing satisfactorily. Shoe men have been selling lots of future rubber orders. Some of the totals on the order sheets showed up into four figures. Several new and complete stocks of boots and shoes were bought here this week, and the house men confess to hustling a little over the filling-in and immediate-want orders that the week Candy trade is one of the quiet ones. But

they say: "Just wait till picnics and soda fountains are ripe, and then watch us dance." Hardware had a weak spot here and there, but more than evened up on building materials and builders' wants. Prices are held firmly. Rice is selling briskly, and with no effort Double orders would show wisdom on the part of the retailer under the conditions ruling in the Canned fruits are in good demand; so are dried

In vegetables, corn leads, tomatoes a fair secend; the other staples heard from occasionally, and all firm at prices quoted. Nearly every order calls for brushes, soaps, lye, brooms and other staples so much in demand by housewives at this, the season for

Collections, in general, are rated good.

#### On Commission Row.

Potatoes and onions have been the features of the produce markets the past week. Potatoes higher; rather, leading dealers on Commission row are predicting a declining potato market soon. With onions the situation is a little different. It is thought this vegetable will remain very high for some time to come. General produce trade is of a fairly satisfactory volume. though business is not as active as it would be if the weather was more springlike.

#### Poultry and Other Produce. (Prices Paid by Shippers.)

Cheese-Wisconsin, 13c; New York full creams, 13c; Swiss, 16c; brick, 14c; limburger, 12c. Poultry-Hens, 10c; stags, 8c; cocks, 6c; capons, 12c; young ducks, 9c; springs, 10@10%c; geese, 6c Butter-Choice roll, 11c; Elgin creamery, 28c; Eggs-Steady at 14c.

Vool-Local dealers are paying for wagon lots: Good medium merchantable unwashed, 17c: coarse and braid, 15c; heavy merino, 10@12c; half-blood, 12@14c; burry and cotted, 12@14c; Western, 12c. Feathers-Prime geese, 20c per lb; prime duck, Beeswax-30c for yellow, 25c for dark.

HIDES AND TALLOW. Green-salted Hides-No. 1, 7%c; No. 2, 6%c; No. 1 calf, 10c; No. 2 calf, 9c.

#### THE JOBBING TRADE. (The quotations given below are the selling prices of the wholesale dealers.) Candies, Nuts, Figs.

Candies-Capital stick candy (brls), 6c per lb common mixed, 6c; grocers' mixed, 51/2c; Banner twist stick, 71/2@8c; Banner cream mixed, 9c; Nuts-Soft-shelled almonds, 15c; Brazil nuts. 10c; filberts, 12c; peanuts, roasted, 7@8c; mixed Figs-Smyrna, 12c per lb.

Conl and Coke.

	Hair ton.	Ton.
Anthracite (all sizes)	\$3.50	\$6.75
Smokeless (lump)	2.40	4.50
Smokeless (shoveled)	2.15	4.00
Cannel	2.75	5.25
Blossburg	2.90	5.50
Jackson (Ohio)	2.65	5.00
Kanawha	2.25	4.25
Pittsburg	2.25	4.25
Raymond	2.25	4.2
Winifreds	2.25	4.2
Hocking Valley	2.15	4.00
Luhrig	2.15	4.00
Brazil block	2.15	4.00
Saline county (lump)	2.15	4.00
Saline county (nut)	1.90	3.50
Green and Sullivan county (lum	ip and	
nut)	1.75	3.2
Slack, Jackson	1.50	2.7
Slack, Pittsburg	1.50	2.7
Slack, West Virginia	1.50	2.7
Slack, Indiana	1.25	2.2
Connellsville coke	3.15	6.00
Oven coke		6.00
O'ch cond	121/2 bu.	25 bu
Lump coke, 10c per bu		\$2.50
Crushed coke, 11c per bu	1.50	2.73
Bags, 25c per ton extra, ground		
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by wheelbarrow, chute or baske	L.	

### Drugs.

Alcohol, \$2.55@2.75; asafoetida, 40c; alum, 21/20 copperas, brl. 85c; cream tartar, indigo, 65@80c; licorice, Calab. 25@40c; magnesia, carb., 2 oz, 200 22c; morphine, P. & W., per oz, \$2.45@2.75; oil bergamot, per lb. \$3; oplum, \$3.50@3.75; balsam copaiba, 55@60c; soap. Castile, Fr., 13@ soda, bicarb., 2@@5c; salts, Epsom, 1%@4c ulphur flour, 2% @5c; saltpeter, 8@10c; turpen tine, 60@65c; glycerin, 16% @20c; iodide potassium, \$2.70@2.80; bron.ide potassium, 45@50c; chlorate potash, 15@20c; borax, 9@12c; cinchonida, 29@

34c; carbolic acid, 25@28c; cocaine, mur., \$3.80@4. Bleached Sheetings - Androscoggin I. Sc; No. 60, 9%c; Capot, 7%c; Capitol, 7%c; ind, 8%c; Dwight Anchor, 9%c; Fruit of Cumberland, 834c; Dwight Anchor, 94c; Fruit of the Loom, 9c; Farwell, 8c; Fitchville, 74c; Full Width, 64c; Gilt Edge, 64c; Gilded Age, 6c; Hill, 84c; Hope, 74c; Linwood, 84c; Lonsdale, 8c; Peabody, 64c; Pepperell, 9-4, 24c; Pepperell, 10-4, 26c; Androscoggin, 9-4, 25c; Androscoggin,

Boot C. 614c; Buck's Head, Sc; Carlisle, 40-inch, 74c; Dwight Star, 84c; Great Falls E, 64c; Great Falls J, 64c; Hill Fine, 8c; Indian Head, 8c; Pepperell R, 7c; Pepperell, 10-4, 24c; Androscoggin, 9-4, 23c; Androscoggin, 10-4, 25c. Prints-Allen dress styles, 5c; Allen TR, 5%c; Allen robes, 5c; American indigo, 5%c; Arnold long cloth B, 9c; Arnold LLC, 8c; Cocheco fancy, c; Hamilton fancy, 5%c; Merrimac pinks and purples, 6c; Pacific fancy, 5%c; Simpson's nournings, 5%c; Simpson's Berlin solids, 6c; mpson's oil finish, 6c; American shirting, 5c; black white, 54c; g.ays, 54c. Kid-finished Cambrics-Edwards, 44c; Warren, 14c; Slater, 44c; Genesee, 44c. Tickings-Amoskeag ACA, 14c; Conestoga BF, 154c; Cordis 140, 14c; Cordis T, 14c; Cordis ACE, 14c: Hamilton awnings, 11½c; Kimona fancy, 17c: Lenox fancy, 20c; Lenox XX. 20c; Oakland AF, 7½c: Portsmouth, 14c; Susquehanna, 15½c; Shetucket SW, 9c; Shetucket F, 8c; Swift Grain Bags-Amcskeag, \$20; American, \$20;

## Ginghams—Amoskeag, 61/2c; Amoskeag dress, 71/2c; Lancaster, 61/2c; Lancaster dress, 71/2c; Toil

Harmony, \$18; Stark, \$25.

du Nord, 9%c.

Spring patent, \$5.80 per brl; winter wheat patent, in brl. \$5.25; straight grade, \$4.85; in brl, low grade, \$3.60; extra fancy, in bri, \$4.75; buck-wheat flour, \$6.10 per bri; graham, \$5.50 per bri.

Coffee-Good, 8@12c; prime, 12@14c; strictly prime, 14016c; fancy green and yellow, 18023c; Java, 28032c. Roasted—Old Government Java, \$2\frac{1}{2}@33c; finest Mocha and Java, 28@30c; Java blend, 23c; fancy blend, 18c; Golden blend, 15c. Package Coffee-City prices: Ariosa, 11.25c; Lion, 1. 25c; Jersey, 11.25c; Caracas, 11,25c; Java blend, 14.50c; Gates's blended Java, 11.75c; Climax Java blend, 11.25c. Sugar-City prices: Crystal Dominoes, 5-lb cartons, 7½c; cut loaf, 5.95c; cubes, 5.55c; XXXX powdered, 5.50c; standard powdered, 5.25c; fruit powdered, 5.07c; granulated, 2-lb package, 5.39c; granulated, 5-lb package, b.39c; standard fine

granulated, bags or brls, 4.82c; Ridgewood A. brls, 4.87c; Phoenix A. brls, 5.02c; Empire A. 4.77c; Ideal ex. C. 4.72c; Windsor ex. C. 4.77c; Ridgewood ex. C, 4.62c; 10 yellow, 4.52c; 16 yel-4.32c; New Orleans (dark), 4c.

Molasses and Syrups-New Orleans molasses, fair to prime, 28@32c; choice, 38@42c; syrups, Salt-In car lots, \$5@90c; small lots, 95c@\$1. Spices-Pepper, 17c; alispice, 15@18c; cloves, 20 ic; cassia, 15@18c; nutmegs, 50@60c per lb. Rice-Louislana, 41/26c; Carolina, 61/2081/c. Shot-\$1.40@1.60 per bag for drop.

Lead-61/2@7c for pressed bars. Wood Dishes-No. 1. per 1.000, \$1.40@1.60; No. 2, \$1.60@1.80; No. 3, \$1.80@2; No. 5, \$2.20@2.40. Twine-Hemp, 12@18c per lb; wool, 6@10c; flax. 20@30c; paper, 15c; jute, 12@15c; cotton, 22@25c. Woodenware—No. 1 tubs, \$6@7; No. 2 tubs, \$5@ 6: No. 3 tubs, \$4@5; 3-hoop pails, \$1.80; 2-hoop pails, \$1.40@1.60; double washboards, \$2.50@2.70; common washboards, \$1.85@1.90; clothespins, 60@

#### Iron and Steel.

Bar iron, 2.60c; horseshoe bar, 2.75c; nall rod, 7c; plow slab, 4.50c; American cast steel, 9@11c; tire steel, 24c; spring steel, 4465c. Leather.

ness, 33@40ca skirting, 28@40c; single strap, 41@ 45c; city kip, 60@90c; French kip, 90c@\$1.20; city calfskin, 90c@\$1; French calfskin, \$1.20@1.85. Nails and Horseshoes. Steel cut nails, \$2.30; wire nails, from store,

Cak sole, 32@42c; hemlock sole, 28@38c; har-

\$2.30 rates; from mill, \$2.20 rates. Horseshoes, per keg, \$4.30; mule shoes, per keg, \$4.30; horse nails, \$4@5 per box. Baro wire, galvanized, \$2.80;

Linseed, raw, 391/2c per gal; linseed oil, boiled, 401/2c per gal; coal oil, brl price, 12c, 13c and 14c; gasoline, 14c.

Produce, Fruits and Vegetables. Fancy Apples-Baldwins, per brl, \$3.50; Spies, \$4; Ben Davis, per brl, \$3.50; Wine Saps, per brl, \$3.50; Roman Beauty, \$4. Bananas-Large, \$2 per bunch: medium, \$1.50.

Cabbage-Florida, per crate, \$3.75. Celery-California, per crate, \$4; per doz, 65c; Florida, per crate, \$2.50. Cider-Per bri. \$3.50; half bris. \$2.50. Cranberries-Jersey, \$2.25 per bu; \$6 per brl; McFarlin, \$7.50 per brl; Howes, \$7 per brl.

Dates-Walnut, \$1 per box; package dates, 60-lb Figs-Smyrna, 10c per Ib. Green Onions-Per doz, 6c. Honey-White clover, 16c per lb. Kraut-Per cask, 45 gals, \$10; per brl, 30 gals,

6.50; half brl, 15 gals, \$4. Lemons-Extra fancy Messina, 360 size, \$3.50 box: 300 size, \$3.75; California, 300 to 360 size, \$3. Lettuce-16c per lb. Radishes-Per doz. 35c. Navy Beans-Per bu, \$2. Old Pop Corn-2c per lb. Onions-Yellow, per cwt, \$3.25; red, \$3.50.

Oranges-California Seedlings, \$2 per box; Florida, \$3; Navels, per box, \$2.50. Pears-Per vu, \$1@1.25. Pineapples-Florida, per crate, \$4. Potatoes-Northern stock, \$1.20 per bu. Rhubarb-Per doz, 40c. Spanish Opions-\$2 per crate. Sweet Potatoes-Kentucky, \$3.50, Turnips-50c per bu; Rutabaga, 75c per bu.

#### Strawberries-24-pint crate, \$2. Provisions.

Sugar-cured Hams-Indiana, 14 to 16 lbs aver-Shoulders-English cured, Reliable, 18 to 20 lbs average, 81/2c; sugar-coated, Indiana, 8 to 10 lbs Pickled Pork-Indiana bean or jowl, per brl 200 lbs, \$14; rump, per brl, 200 lbs, \$16; family, per brl, 200 lbs, \$16.50; fancy clear bean, per brl, 200 lbs, \$20.50; fancy boneless pig, per brl, 200 lbs, \$21. Also half brls, 100 lbs, at half the price of the bris, adding 50c to cover additional cost of

Lard-Kettle-rendered, 9%c; pure lard, 9%c. Bacon-Clear bellies, 25 to 30 lbs average, 10c; 18 to 23 lbs average, 104c; 14 to 16 lbs average, 11c; clear backs, 20 to 30 lbs average, 94c; 12 to 15 lbs average, 10c; 9 to 10 lbs average, 10%c; clear sides, about 50 to 60 lbs average, 9%c; 30 to 40 lbs average, 101/2c; 20 to 30 lbs average, 11c. In dry salt, 1/2c less.

#### Seed clover, prime, \$6.75@7. English clover. \$7.25@7.50; alsike, \$7@8. Timothy, prime, \$1.75@2. Fancy Kentucky bluegrass, \$1.50@1.75; extra clean, 60@70c. Orchard grass, \$1.75@2; red top,

COMPETITION AMONG BANKS.

90c@\$1.75. English bluegrass, \$1.50@2.

Our banking readers do not need to be reminded that competition among New York city banks and trust companies was never fiercer than at present. When the rule regarding out-oftown collections went into effect it was thought measure their efforts to build up enormous totals, but as a matter of fact the pressure for business is to-day greater than ever. The banks are not only competing among themselves, but the trust bu; rye, 2,300 bu; barley, 4,300 bu. ing inducements for deposits more liberal in haracter than the most solicitous banking institution can meet. The regular bank rate of 2 per cent. for balances appears ultra conservative, compared with the 3 and even 4 per cent. interest tendered by some trust companies. With money loaning on call at less than 2 per cent., it stands to reason that losses are being incurred in the transaction, and it is only a matter of time until a stop must be put to what appears to be a practice both foolish and dangerous. It is an axiom in banking that deposits rightly handled furnish a goodly source of profit. Still, with deposits costing more than they yield, large totals may mean nothing, beyond the fine advertisement they afford of a growing and active bank.

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According to the statistical table published in The Financier, Feb. 1 last, showing the earnings of New York city banks for the year, \$3 separate 2; No. 3 yellow, 2; No. 4 yellow, 2; No. 2 mixed,

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LIVERPOOL, April 16.—Wheat—Spot dull; No. 2 white, 1 car; No. 3 yellow, 2; No. 2 mixed, of New York city banks for the year, 83 separate institutions were included. Of these 31 reported earnings of 20 per cent. and above on capital. but of the 31, only 12 had deposits of \$10,000,000 and over. The smaller banks made much the better showing. Seven banks not included in this classification failed to earn as much as 20 per cent, on capital, although holding deposits of \$10,000,000 and above. Two of the banks in question reported deposits in excess of \$100.000 000 Of course a statement of this character cannot be worked into a definite proposition with reference to the profits of large banks in contrast with those of moderate size, but the showing does reveal that it is not always the bank with the heaviest deposits that earns the most money. Ambition to build up a bank is perfectly proper,

## STOCK MARKET AND UNION PACIFIC.

-The Financier.

and should be encouraged, but when it comes to

buying business at the expense of profits, the

safer and conducive to better results in the end.

with sales during the fourteen-day interval of 1,400,000 shares, or 75 per cent. of the company's total capital-was bound to start some sort of 'deal rumors." Hence, first, the report that the Hill-Morgan Interests were buying so as to control Northern Securities; next, the story that Union Pacific interests were "intrenching themselves," and finally that the St. Paul directors were buying control of the Union Pacific.

The real basis for these stories was a reminis-

cence of 1901. In January of that year St. Paul stock rose 18 points in two weeks, with 700,000 shares dealt in on the Stock Exchange. It was then said that a deal was pending with Great Northern and Northern Pacific, which would make St. Paul worth 200, instead of the 145 which t brought at the opening of January. Mr. Morgan's testimony in court, two months later, showed that such a deal had been adopted and then abandoned. In the last two weeks of March. Burlington & Quincy stock, starting at 150, rose n points, on sales of a million shares. The deal rumors ended when the two transcontinental roads actually paid 200 in their bonds for the Burlington's total stock. Finally, thirteen months ater, came the rise of 26 points in Louisville & Nashville stock, while a million shares changed hands. Disclosure of the "Gates clique" in control of the Louisville, ended with an issue of bonds by another railroad to buy up the stock in question. These seemed fair analogies for Union

the wild race for Northern Pacific stock which followed them, were made possible partly through almost unlimited banking credit in Europe, and partly through absolute confidence that the pubic would pay the price, not only for the stocks n question, but for the new securities issued by ther companies to absorb them, Neither situaearned the nature of the operations of 1901, refused all further credits for such purposes, and plainly assert to-day that the refusal still holds good. More particularly, every observant finan-cier is aware that if new bonds were issued now or such purpose, the public would be extremely unlikely to accept them. As for the "Gates clique's" operation, domestic banks which burned their fingers in that deal have learned their lesson.-New York Post.

ST. LOUIS, April 16.—Wool steady; medium grades combing and clothing, 18@22c; light fine, 14@17½c; heavy fine, 10@14½c; t.b-washed, 20@

14.65c. Sales, 14.070 bales.

BASIS OF MNCH SELLING OF JULY.

Corn Opened Firm and Continued Strong for a Time, but Turned Weak Later and Closed at a Loss.

CHICAGO, April 15.-Acting as if inoculated with a selling fever, wheat traders to-day took growing weather in Kansas as a pretext to force a decline. July wheat shows a net loss of 1/0 %c. Corn is down %c. Oats are off %@%c, and pro-

A bearish mood from the start in wheat was induced by lower cables and an official forecast of showers and warmer temperature for Kansas. July opened unchanged to 1/3c lower at 86%c to 87c. Offerings were quite liberal, and apparently there was little inclination to support the market. The desire to sell was increased by the Kansas State report, which made the conditions of winter wheat \$3 per cent., compared with 78 per cent, as reported from Washington. Although insistent regarding the seriousness of crop damage in those States, traders seemed disinclined to pay heed. An impression appeared fixed that prevailing prices more than discounted any dam-

day. From 874c, July gradually declined to 86%c. The close was weak, with July at 86%@ 861/2c. May sold between 92c and 92%c and closed 212,600 bu. Primary receipts were 212,500 bu, against 291,300 bu a year ago. Minneapolis, Du-luth and Chicago reported receipts of 136 cars, compared with 193 cars last week and 190 cars CORN FIRM, THEN WEAK.

Cold weather throughout the West caused a fair ment soon changed, and prices started downward. Considerable July corn was for sale, and it came out in such volume as to suggest liquidation of some heavy holder. There was also selling for short account, inspired by predictions of more favorable weather for planting. The market showed to recuperative power, ruling weak the remainder of the day. After opening %c to %c higher at 50%c to 50%c, July sold between 491/2049%c and 501/4050%c and closed at 49%c. May ranged between 511/2c and 521/2c and closed at 51%c. Local receipts were 67 cars, with 35 of contract grade.

OATS FOLLOW CORN. Oats withstood the weakness of other grains sistent selling by some of the heavy longs. The market was firm early, due to unfavorable weather conditions and strength in cash oats. As the session advanced weakness developed and the close was near the bottom. July opened a shade to 1/201/4c higher at 381/4c to 381/4c, sold between 37%c and 38%c and closed at 37%c. Local receipts were 77 cars.

PROVISIONS WEAK. Provisions were weak from the start, under the influence of moderate selling by commission and lower prices for hogs was the main cause of liquidation. The best buying was by shorts. The market closed at the low point, with July pork down 175c at \$12.20. July lard was off 10c at \$6.65, and ribs 71/2@10c at \$6.421/2. Articles. Open- High- Low- -- Closing-

	Open-	High-	1,0W-		sing
Wheat-	ing.	est.	est.	Ap. 16.	Ap. 15.
May	9234	92%	92	9216	9234
*July	8814	881/2	87%	8754	. 881/4
**July	86%	8714	861/8	86%	871/4
*Sept	83%	84	82%	831/4	831/6
**Sept		82%	81%	82	82%
Corn-	2000	10000			
May	5214	5216	5114	51%	5216
July	5016	50%	491/2		50
Sept	491/4	49%	49	49	4914
Oats-					
May	381/4	281/4	37%	3736	38%
July		381/4	37%	371/2 371/2	38
Sept	321/4		311/2	31%	321/8
Pork-			1, 1000		20.00
May \$	12.15	\$12.15	\$12.00	\$12.0236	\$12.17%
July		12.35	12.20	12.20	
Lard-					
May	6.55	6.55	6.4736	6.471/2	6.5736
July	6.70	6.7216	6.65	6.65	6.75
Ribs-					30.00
May	6.35	6.35	6.25	6,25	6.3714
July	6.50	6.50	6, 40	6.4216	6.5234
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32@35c; fa	i to er	noice ma	deing, 4	egooc. 1	laxseed

-No. 1, \$1.08; No. 1 Northwestern, \$1.16. Prime timothy seed, \$2.80. Clover-Contract grade, \$10.75. Mess pork, per brl, \$12@12.12½. Lard, per 100 lbs, \$6.45@6.47½. Short rib sides (loose), \$6.12\\@6.25. Short clear sides (boxed), \$6.50@ Whisky-Basis of high wines, \$1.28 Receipts-Flour, 23,500 brls; wheat, 17,000 bu corn, 111,100 bu; oats, 132,000 bu; rye, 4,000 bu; barley, 42,500 bu. Shipments-Flour, 19,200 brls; wheat, 18,600 bu; corn, 54,300 bu; oats, 130,700

## Local Cash Prices.

Wheat quiet; No. 2 red, \$1.02 track; No. 2 red. \$1.02 on milling freight; No. 3 red, 99c track; April, \$1 track; May, 95c; wagon, \$1. Corn steady; No. 2 white, 49c; No. 3 white, 49c; No. 4 white, 47c; No. 2 white mixed, 49c; No. 3 white mixed, 49c; No. 4 white mixed, 47c; No. 2 yellow, 49½c; No. 3 yellow, 49½c; No. 4 yellow, 47c; No. 2 mixed, 49c; No. 3 mixed, 49c; No. 4 mixed, 47c. Oats dull and nominal; No. 2 white, 41c; No. 3 white, 42c; No. 2 mixed, 401/2c; No. 3 mixed, 40c Hay steady and nominal; No. 1 timothy, \$12; No. 2 timothy, \$10.50. No. 3 mixed, 5; No. 4 mixed, 2; total, 49 cars. Oats-No. 2 white, 7 cars; No. 2 mixed, 4; total, 11 cars. Hay-No. 1 timothy, 4 cars; No. 2 timothy, 1; total, 5 cars. WAGON MARKET.

Oats-Sheaf, \$8@10; shelled oats, 45@50c. Hay-Clover, \$8@10; timothy, \$11@14; mixed, \$10 @11; millet, \$5@9.

The Week's Local Grain Trade. -Output of Flour ---Inspections for the Week .-

## NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, April 16 .- Flour-Receipts, 20,913 bris; exports, 10,860 bris. Market dull and barely steady. Minnesota patent, \$5.15@5.40; Minnesota bakers, \$4.10@4.35; winter patents, \$5,20@5.50; winter straights, \$4.95@5.15; winter extras, \$3.35@4; winter low grades, \$3.15@3.80. Rye flour dull fair to good, \$4.20@4.40; choice to fancy, \$4.50@ 4.75. Corn meal quiet; yellow Western, \$1.08@1.10; city, \$1.10@1.12; kiln-dried, \$3.10@3.15. Rye steady; No. 2 Western, \$2c to arrive prompt. Barley dull; feeding, 49c, c. i. f. New York;

malting, 55@56c, c. i. f. Buffalo. Wheat-Receipts, 18,000 bu; exports, 8,208 bu. Spot quiet; No. 2 red, \$1.05 nominal elevator and \$1.06@1.09 nominal f. o. b. affoat; No. 1 northern Duluth, \$1.00% nominal f. o. b. affoat; No. 1 hard with any response from the public soon turned rather weak. A bearish Kansas State report and prospects for rising temperature West also had an effect on prices. The close was weak at 14@1/2c net decline. May, 04%@95c, closed at 94%c; July, 90%@91%c, closed at 90%c; September. 84%@85%c, closed at 84%c; December, 85%@85%c

afloat; No. 2 yellow, 57c; No. 2 white, 56c. Option market firm on covering, after which it weakened under commission house selling and wheat decline, closing 140 4c net lower. May, 5514 25514c, closed at 5514c; July, 5414 2544c, closed dull: No. 2, 43½c; standard white, 46c; No. 2 white, 45½c; No. 3 white, 45½c. Hay quiet; shipping, 67½@70c; good to choice,

Hops quiet; state, common to choice, 1903, 27@ 36c; 1902, 23@27c; olds, 9@14c; Pacific coast, 1903, 24@31c; 1902, 23@27c; olds, 9@14c.

Hides steady; Galveston, 20 to 25 lbs, 18c; California, 21 to 25 lbs, 19c; Texas dry, 24 to 30 lbs, 14c. Leather steady; acid, 23@26c.

Wool steady; domestic fleece, 28@32c. Coal

Cotton.

NEW YORK, April 16.—Cotton—Spot closed quiet; middling uplands, 14.40c; middling gulf, seady; continent, \$7.15; South America, \$7.75; steady; continent, \$1.15; South America, \$7.75; compound, \$6.5066.6214. Pork weak; family, \$14.50; short clear, \$14.615.75; mess, \$13.50614.25.

Rice dull; domestic, fair to extra, 3146514c; Sales, 650 bales. Ordinary, 1214c; good ordinary, Japan nominal. Molasses firm; New Orleans open kettle, good to choice, 21637c. Coffee—Spot Rio steady; No. 7, invoice, 714c; mild steady; ceipts, 2,775 bales; stock, 292,183 bales.

DOWN

Cordova, 10@13c. Sugar-Raw nominal; fair

fining, 3 1-16@3%c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3 9-16c

molasses sugar, 2 13-16@276c; refined quiet; No. 6, 4.30c; No. 7, 4.25c; No. 8, 4.26c; No. 9, 4.15c; No. 10, 4.10c; No. 11, 4.05c; No. 12, 4c; No. 13,

8.95c; No. 14, 3.90c; confectioners' A, 4.55c; mold

A, 5.05c; cut loaf, 5.40c; crushed, 5.40c; powdered, 4.80c; granulated, 4.70c; cubes, 4.95c.

COFFEE FUTURES.

The market for coffee futures opened steady at

in response to rather steady European cables.

Primary receipts were larger and Rio declined

150 reis, but this did not stimulate offerings ap-

preciably, and the market ruled generally steady

to firm, closing firm at a net advance of 15@2

points. Sales were reported of 30,750 bags, including: May at 6@6.65c, July at 6.30c, August at 6.45c, September at 6.55@6.60c, October at 6.66c,

TRADE IN GENERAL.

bu. Shipments-Flour, 4,000 brls; wheat, 65,000

KANSAS CITY, April 16.-Wheat-May, 82%@

82%c; July, 76½c; September, 72½c; cash, No. 2 hard, 90@91c; No. 2, 86@87c; No. 2 red, \$1.02@1.03; No. 3, 98c@\$1. Corn—May, 46@46½c; July, 44%c; cash, No. 2 mixed, 47%@48c; No. 2, 47c; No. 2

white, 48c; No. 3, 47@471/2c. Oats-No. 2 white, 43c; No. 2 mixed, 42c. Rye, 63c. Hay firm; choice

timothy, \$9@9.50; choice prairie, \$8. Receipts-

Wheat, 43,200 bu; corn, 16,800 bu; oats, 12,000 bu.

Shipments-Wheat, 41,600 bu; corn, 43,200 bu; cats,

mixed, 531/2@54c. Oats quiet; No. 2 mixed, 411/2 @42c. Rye quiet; No. 2, 76@77c. Lard steady at

\$6.10. Bulk meats quiet at \$6.50. Bacon steady at \$7.75. Whisky—Distillers' finished goods active on basis of \$1.28. Sugar easy.

DULUTH, April 16.-Wheat-In store, No.

hard, 93½c; No. 1 northern, 92c; No. 2 northern, 89½c; to arrive, No. 1 hard, 93½c; No. 1 northern, 92c; No. 2 northern, 89½c; May, 92c; July, 92¼c; September, 82¾c. Oats—On track and to

TOLEDO, April 16.-Clover seed-Cash, \$6.374

bid; April, \$6.37% bid; October, \$5.65; prime al-

Wheat-May, 984c; July, 89%c.

held creamery, 13@19c.

sike, \$6.05; August, \$6.20; prime timothy, \$1.321/4.

MINNEAPOLIS, April 16.-Wheat-May, 931/20

California, 7s. Corn-Spot steady; American

BALTIMORE, April 16.-Wheat-Cash, \$1;

Poultry, Butter and Eggs.

NEW YORK, April 16.—Butter quiet. Receipts, 2,957 packages. Extra fresh creamery, 22c; com-

mon to choice, 14@211/2c; State dairy, 15@20c;

full creams, small white and colored fancy,

Pennsylvania and near-by average finest, 181/20,

State. Pennsylvania and near-by average firsts,

18c; Western storage selections, 184@184c; West-

PHILADELPHIA, April 16.-Butter steady but

fresh near-by, 184c, at the mark; fresh West-ern, 174c, at the mark; fresh Southwestern, 174c, at the mark; fresh Southern, 17c, at the

mark. Cheese dull and weak; New York full

creams, choice to fancy, 104@104c; New York full creams, fair to good, 94@104c.

CHICAGO, April 16.—Butter easier; creameries, 14@23c; dairies, 1214@21c. Eggs steady; at mark, cases included, 1614@16%c. Cheese weak;

daisies, 9@91/c; twins, 9c; young Americas, 106

ST. LOUIS, April 16 .- Poultry steady; chickens

10½c; springs, \$3@5 per dozen; turkeys, 13@14c; ducks, 11c; geese, 6@7c. Butter slow; creamery, 20@25c; dairy, 15@19c. Eggs firm at 15c, case

KANSAS CITY, April 16 .- Eggs steady: Mis

souri and Kansas, cases returned, 14%c; new No. 2 whitewood cases included, 15%c. Butter

CINCINNATI, April 16.-Eggs quiet at 161/20

Butter steady. Poultry quiet; hens, 12c; springs, 16c; turkeys, 13@14c. Cheese steady; Ohio flats,

Oils.

NEW YORK, April 16 .- Tallow dull; city (\$2

for package), 4%c; country (package free), 4%0

nal; prime yellow, 32c. Petroleum easy; refined New York, 8.40c; Philadelphia and Baltimore, 8.35c; Philadelphia and Baltimore, in bulk, 5.45c.

OIL CITY, April 16.-Credit balances, \$1.65; certificates, no bid. Shipments, 39,186 brls; average,

57,132 bris; runs, 88,671 bris; average, 72,569 bris. Shipments (Lima), 68,134 bris; average, 63,170 bris;

SAVANNAH, April 16.—Spirits of turpentine firm at 54%. Rosin firm; A. B. C. D. \$2.35; E. \$2.40; F. \$2.45; G. \$2.60; H. \$2.70; I. \$2.80; K.

\$3.15; N. \$3.45; Window glass, \$3.60; water white.

firm at 54c. Rosin, nothing doing. Tar firm at \$1.90. Crude turpentine firm at \$2.25, \$3.75 and \$4.

MONTPELIER, April 16.—Crude petroleun weak; North Lima, \$1.16; South Lima and Indi

CHARLESTON, April 16 .- Spirits of turpentine

Dry Goods.

NEW YORK, April 16 .- The dry goods market

dull and apathetic, with little interest dis

have been the order of the day for some time. The curtailment at Fall River and in other cen-

ters is argued by sellers as a bullish influence, but it is too early to observe any results of this

shutting down of mills as yet.

layed by buyers, even at reduced prices, which

WILMINGTON, April 16 .- Spirits of turpentine

runs (Lima), 66,397 brls; average, 51,342 brls.

steady; creamery, 20@22c; dairy, 17c.

2.85. Turpentine steady at 58@584c.

Poultry-Alive steady; turkeys, 11c; chick-

Cheese quiet. Receipts, 2,681 packages.

September, 11@111/2c; State full creams,

white and colored good to prime, 91/2@10c Eggs quiet. Receipts, 12,171 packages.

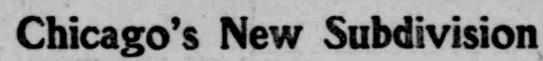
ern firsts, 18c; Southern firsts, 171/2c

bu; corn, 67,000 bu; oats, 55,000 bu.

December at 6.85c and March at 7.15c.

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A WEEK

RECEIPTS OF HOGS SMALL

porters of the Hog Market All

Receipts and Shipments. ST. LOUIS, April 16.—Flour dull and un-changed; red winter patents, \$4.90@5; special Last week brands 20c to 25c higher; extra fancy and Shipments (Saturday) ..... straight, \$4.60@4.85; clear, \$4@1.25. Timothy seed steady at \$2.40@2.60. Corn meal steady at \$2.40. Last week ..... Bran firm; sacked east track, 85@87c. Wheat lower, longs liquidating; No. 2 red, cash, elevator, 96%c; track, 98c@\$1.63; May, 90%c; July, TTLE-Receipts (Saturday) ..... 82%c; No. 2 hard, 90@93c. Corn lower; No. 2 cash, 48c; track, 50c; May, 47%c; July, 47%c Last week Oats lower; No. 2, cash, 41c; track, 42@421/2c For the week..... May, 39c; July, 37c; No. 2 white, 451/2@46c. Hay steady; timothy, \$9@14; prairie, \$8@10. Whisky Last week ..... SHEEP-Receipts (Saturday) ..... steady at \$1.321/2. Iron cotton ties, 82c. Bagging, For the week..... Hemp twine, 6c. Pork lower; jobbing Lard lower; prime steam, \$6.15. Bacon Shipments (Saturday) ..... steady; boxed, extra shorts, \$7.371/2; clear ribs, For the week..... \$7.50; short clear, \$7.75. Receipts-Flour, 4.000 bris; wheat, 11,000 bu; corn, 16,000 bu; oats, 42,000

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REVIEW OF THE WEEK. hog market this week has been character ized by frequent changes in prices, but usually price for hogs from one day to another and half decline of equal extent and on Friday the position At the extreme close of the week, however, the market rallied again and brought values up at least 10c above the close last week, while occasionally there was 15c gain. The receipts, nough to meet the requirments of buyers at this ments generally have not been of a high stand-ard and, although there were several loads of prime hogs marketed this week, the consignments for the most part were mixed grades. Shippers have been the principal support of the market, and for the week ending yesterday purchased a total of about 2,000 more than local packers, which, of course, is something unusual. that are anticipating higher prices seem to be the minority. From the middle to the close last April the top price of hogs declined 40c and half of this loss was made the last three

THE CATTLE MARKET. The supply of cattle on hand to-day was small There was no important demand and the trad-Sales included 1,236 to 1,301-lb steers at \$4.55@ 4.65, and 810 to 1,195-lb kinds sold at \$464.30.

MARKET SHOWED A GENERAL AD-VANCE OF 10 CENTS YESTERDAY.

Week-Cattle Trading Small.

4,000 Last week ..... None

UNION STOCKYARDS, INDIANAPOLIS April 16.-Hogs-The receipts to-day were exceedingly small and considerably below the average for a Saturday market. There were not enough of all kinds to develop the condition of the market by actual sales, and hardly enough of any kind to establish an extreme range in prices. The market opened with very aggressive competition between shippers, who apparently had a few urgent orders to execute. Therefore, it was CINCINNATI, April 16.—Flour steady. Wheat few urgent orders to execute. Therefore, it was firm; No. 2 red, \$1.06@1.07. Corn steady; No. 2 not as much a question of price as of getting the hogs, and the result was an uneven but a decided advance in prices. To be conservative all dealers quoted the bulk of the sales fully 10c higher, but there is no doubt that occasional transactions represented a gain of 15c over yesterday. Local packers refused to pay the ad- the bull market at any time in the week, and vance, and, therefore, were entirely out of the market. In justice to shippers it might be said that the developments to-day were rather unnatural, and there were very few who believe that the full strength obtained would be permanent. In fact, it was claimed that one or two July, 93%c; September, 82%c; on track, No. 1 loads that arrived late in the day had to sen at hard, 95%c; No. 1 northern, 94%c; No. 2 northern, 92%c.

I loads that arrived late in the day had to sen at his weaker prices. The highest sales this week were \$5.30 for fat steers, \$4.40 for feeders, \$4.75 for heifers, \$4.25 for cows, \$3.75 for bulls and \$6 mixed, new, 4s 3d; American mixed, old, 4s 7d. | ing 220 to 247 lbs sold at \$5.371/2. Less desirable kinds averaging 190 to 221 lbs sold at \$5.30. Selected hogs averaging 180 lbs sold at \$5.35, but \$5.30 was virtually the top for strictly light hogs, \$5.20. With a larger supply and a greater variety, however, there probably would have been sales under \$5.20, and, therefore, it is not unjust to fix a range by quoting common light hogs as

Good to choice medium to heavy ...... \$5.30@5. Common to fair light weights..... 5.10@5.20 Roughs and stags..... 4.50@4.85

of the week the top price was the same. advance was almost invariably followed by in prices was practically the same as Monday. Rosin steady; strained, common to good, \$2.80@

> days of the month. In May there was a continued gradual reduction in values and at the close of May the top price for heavy hogs was | \$1.25 lower than the middle of April.

-Steers.-Good to choice steers, 1,350 lbs and up-

Medium feeding steers, 800 to 900 lbs..., 3.40@ 3.65 Common to good stockers..... 3.00@ 4.00 Good to choice heifers..... Fair to medium heifers ..... 3.65@ 4.00 Common light heifers ...... 3.00@ 3.50 | year ago. Canners and cutters..... 2.00@ 3.15 Good to choice cows and calves ...... 35.00@50.00 Common to medium cows and calves...20.00@30.00 -Bulls and Calves .-Prime to fancy export bulls.....\$3.60@ 3.75 Good to choice butcher bulls...... 3.00@ 3.50 Fair to good heavy calves ...... 2.50@ 4.50 -Representative Sales-Steers .-Av. Pr. No. ..1195 4.30 2...... 710 3.50 \$5.10@5.20. ..... 124 4.50

CATTLE STEADY ALL WEEK. parts of the cattle market this week, values, were somewhat disappointed, because they had therefore, it was impossible to advance values. At the beginning of the week there was possibly 10c decline in prices of practically all kinds of steers, but later in the week the best selections sold at about steady prices compared with the Fair to medium fat steers were rather plentiful and practically all week sold 10c lower than the close of last week. There being a better supply of good cattle than for some time past, the dis-crimination against plain quality and a lack of flesh was more than usual. The best cows and heifers continued to sell about steady, but fair to medium kinds, that were more plentiful than usual, sold rather slowly and generally about 10c lower. There was no perceptible change in

there was a decline of at least 50c in prices of From the beginning of the week there was rather an indifferent demand from all sources for feeding stock, but about the middle of the week the request from professional buyers was better and sales were usually at about steady There was disappointment at the close of the week, however, on account of the small

THE SHEEP MARKET. The receipts to-day were unusually large for and consequently no spread in values. Spring lambs averaging 41 lbs sold at \$11, wool lambs at \$6 and wool ewes at \$4.50. Quotations:

Common to best vearlings..... Fair to medium sheep ..... Culls and common sheep ... -Representative Sales .-

WEEK'S RECEIPTS INCREASE.

range in values. The quality and condition of the offerings has been good generally and probably the full strength of the market was de veloped. It is difficult to determine just what changes have occurred in prices, but it is probably safe to say that good stock sold 25c higher than last week. The highest prices paid were \$12 for spring lambs, \$6.25 for wool lambs and \$4.50 for wool sheep.

## LIVE STOCK NOTES.

The receipts of cattle this week have been time last year, and for the month thus far there is a gain of nearly 1,300 compared with the same period a year ago.

The marketing of stock this week shows a steady yesterday, prices of sheep and lambs were also steady and hogs were unevenly higher.

The marketing of sheep and lambs this week year ago and a decrease of over 400 compared with the corresponding week two years ago. Thus far this year the receipts are 4,400 smaller than the same time last year, and for the month thus far there is a decrease of over 2,100 compared with the same period a year ago.

but show a decrease of 3,000 compared with last week. Compared with the same week a year worked harder in my life, never was so Plain fat steers, 1,350 lbs and upwards, 4.500 4.75
Good to choice 1,200 to 1,360-lb steers.... 4.400 4.75
Plain fat 1,200 to 1,300-lb steers.... 4.150 4.50
Good to choice 900 to 1,150-lb steers.... 4.150 4.50
Plain fat 900 to 1,150-lb steers.... 3.750 4.35
Choice feeding steers, 1,000 to 1,100 lbs... 3.750 4.35
Good feeding steers, 900 to 1,100 lbs... 3.750 4.35
Good feeding steers, 900 to 1,100 lbs... 3.750 4.30
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year ago. For the week ending yesterday the leading local packers bought a total of 6,958, against 14,101 the preceding week and 6,997 the ..\$4.10@ 4.50 same week a year ago. During the same period the shipments were 8.796, against 2.915 the preceding week and 8,685 the corresponding week a

#### ELSEWHERE.

CHICAGO, April 16.-Cattle-Receipts, 400. Market nominal. Good to prime steers, \$5.10@5.65; poor to medium, \$3.75@5; stockers and feeders, \$2.75@4.25; cows, \$1.50@4.25; heifers, \$2@4.75; canners, \$1.50@2.40; bulls,

Hogs-Receipts to-day, 11,000; Monday, 30,000, estimated. Market slow to weak; mixed and butchers, \$1.50@2.30; good to choice heavy, \$5,25@5.35; rough heavy, \$5.10@6.20; light, \$4.85@5.20; bulk of sales, Sheep-Receipts, 2,000. Market steady.

Lambs steady; good to choice wethers, \$4.75@5.65; fair to choice mixed, \$3.50@4.60; Western sheep, \$4.50@5.30; native lambs \$4@5.75; Western lambs, clipped, \$4.50@5.75; Western lambs, wooled, \$5.75@6.40. Official yesterday-Receipts-Cattle, 2,105; hogs, 17,106; sheep, 3,278. Shipments-Cat-120 3.75 | tle, 2,933; hogs, 7,478; sheep, 1,118. KANSAS CITY, April 16.-Cattle-Receipt

100. The market was unchanged. Export an dressed beef steers, \$4.60@5.25; fair to good, \$3.75 04.50; Western fed steers, \$3.60@4.65; chankers and feeders, \$3.25@4.50; Southern steers, \$3.75@4.30; Southern cows, \$2.75@3.25; native cows, \$2.65@3.80; 4.15; native helfers, \$3.50@4.50; bulls, \$2.65@3.80; calves, \$2.75@5.75. Receipts for the week, 20,100. a general way, have not been materially affected, and the results, therefore, have not been altogether unsaisfactory. Salesmen and owners

Hogs—Receipts, 700. The market was slow to 5c lower. Top, \$5.07½; bulk, \$4.85@5; heavy, \$4.95@5; pigs and lights, \$4.25@5; pigs and lights, nally steady. Native lambs, \$5.50\( \text{96.15}; \text{ Western lambs, \$5.50\( \text{96.25}; \text{ fed ewes, \$4.75\( \text{95.25}; \text{ yearlings,} \) week have been equal to the requirements, and, \$5@5.60; stockers and feeders, \$3.50@4.50. Re-

ceipts for the week, 19,200. ST. LOUIS, April 16 .- Cattle-Receipts, 200; ne Texans. Market steady. Native shipping and export steers, \$4.60@5.75; dressed beef and butcher steers, \$4.25@5.50; steers under 1,000 lbs, \$40 5.20; stockers and feeders, \$8.50@4.50; cows and helfers, \$2.25@4.50; canners, \$2.10@2.50; bulls, \$3 @4.75; calves, \$4.25@5.75; Texas and Indian steers, \$3.75@4.75; cows and helfers, \$2.75@8.75. Hogs-Receipts, 1,500. Market 5c higher. Pigs and lights, \$4.50@5; packers, \$5.10@5.20; butchers and best heavy, \$5.15@5.35.
Sheep-Receipts, 700. Market steady. Native muttons, \$4.75@5.75; lambs, \$5.25@6; culls and bucks, \$4@4.75; stockers, \$2.50@3.50. NEW YORK, April 16.—Beeves—Receipts none. Dressed beef steady at 64684c per lb for native sides. Cables steady. Exports to-day, 766 cattle and 8,550 quarters of beef. Calves-Receipts none. Feeling nominally

steady. City dressed veals steady at 6@9c per lb.
Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 902. No sheep on
the market. Lambs 4c to 4c higher. Fair to
choice unshorn lambs sold at \$6.75@7.25; fair
clipped lambs at \$6. Dressed mutton, 64/200c;
dressed lambs, 94/201c. Hogs-Receipts, 1,702. Feeling steady. PITTSBURG, April 16.-The Ohio Live Stock Commission Company reports receipts of cattle At 400. The market was steady.

Hogs-Receipts, 1,200. Heavy sold at \$5.55.9

5.60; mediums, \$5.70@5.75; best heavy Yorkers. \$5.65@5.70; light Yorkers, \$5.40@5.50; pigs, \$4.40@ Sheep and Lambs-Receipts, 1,000. Clipped sheep sold from \$4.85 down and clipped lambs

ket nominally steady. Beef steers, \$3.65@5.15; cows and helfers, \$364.25; stockers and feeders, \$2.75@4.20; calves, \$3@5.75. Hogs-Receipts, 7,000. Market steady. Heavy. \$4.90@5; light, \$4.75@4.921/2; pigs, \$4@4.60. Sheep-Receipts, 1,500. Market steady. Sheep, \$3.25@5.65; lambs, \$5@6.25. LOUISVILLE, April 16.-Hogs-The receipts to-day were 957, and for the week 10,753. The market opened early, with a decline of 5c on the heavy end, while all other grades were fully steady. We quote best hogs, 165 lbs and up, at \$5.20; light shippers, \$4.95@5; heavy pigs, \$4.50 4.40; light pigs, \$3.75@4; roughs, \$4@4.75. The

pens were well cleared. BUFFALO, April 16.—Sadler, Huddleston Co. report receipts of hogs at 3,000. Medi old at \$5.70@5.75; Yorkers, \$5.65@5.70; pigs, \$5.35. Sheep and Lambs-Receipts, 2,000. The market was strong. Best lambs sold from \$707.15.

Sheep strong at \$3.25@4.50. Lambs strong at

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Corn bread is the bread of substance and worked. Flour would have to take a be seat in numberless homes, and that terrible so many of us up would disappear. Ten pounds for 33 cents! It makes the mouth water to think of hoe cakes, ash cakes, pone, egg-bread, crackling-bread, griddle cakes-all made of corn meal. I lived for a year on corn bread and buttermilk, never

## Cattle-The cattle market was strong. CINCINNATI, April 16.-Hogs steady at \$40